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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Inventor : Hitoshi Asahi, et al.
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For : Steel Plates For Ultra-High-Strength Linepipes And
Ultra-High-Strength Linepipes Having Excellent Low-
Temperature Toughness And Manufacturing Methods
Thereof
Examiner : Yee, Deborah
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed March 13, 2009 and Advisory Action
mailed June 23, 2009, Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendments and
consideration of the following remarks for the above-identified application. This amendment
is being filed concurrently with a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. §
1.114.

On June 10, 2009, applicants responded timely to the March 13, 2009 Final Office
Action. Applicants petition concurrently herewith for a two-month extension of time (*i.e.*, to
August 13, 2009). The Director is authorized to charge any fees due with the filing of this
paper or credit any overpayment to Kenyon & Kenyon LLP's Deposit Account No. 11-0600.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 20 of this paper.

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